

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LAW AND JUSTICE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:601
ANSWERED ON:24.11.2006
PERKS OF SUPREME COURT JUDGES
Reddy Shri Mekapati Rajamohan

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to hike the perks of Judges of the Supreme Court; and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE (SHRI K.VENKATAPATHY)

(a) & (b): Presently, there is no proposal to hike the perks of Judges of the Supreme Court. However, the service conditions including the salaries, allowances and other perks of the Supreme Court Judges are regulated under the Supreme Court Judges (Salaries and Conditions of Service) Act, 1958. A statement indicating salaries, allowances and perks admissible to the Judges of the Supreme Court, as on date, is enclosed.

Enclosure to Lok Sabha Unstarred question No .601 due for answer on 24.11.2006 by Shri M. Raja Mohan Reddy regarding perks of Supreme Court Judges.

STATEMENT INDICATING SALARY, ALLOWANCES AND PERKS ADMISSIBLE TO JUDGES OF SUPREME COURT

S.No	ITEMS	SUPREME COURT	
		CHIEF JUSTICE	OTHER JUDGES

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| 1. | Basic Salary (P.M.) | Rs. 33,000/- (fixed) | Rs.30,000/- (fixed) |
| | | (1.1.1996) | (1.1.1996) |
| 2. | Dearness Pay | 50% of Basic salary | 50% of Basic salary |
| | | (1.4.2004) | (1.4.2004) |
| 3. | Dearness Allowance (DA) and CCA | At the same rates as applicable to Secretary to G.O.I | |
| 4. | Sumptuary Allowance (P.M.) | Rs. 10,000/- (1.4.2004) | Rs.7,500/- (1.4.2004) |
| 5. | Daily Allowance on tour | Rs. 1000/-+ Rs.50/- for transport (for expensive cities) | Rs.600/- for ordinary cities (24.2.1999) |
| 6. | Housing Facilities | Rent free furnished accommodation or HRA of 30% of Pay + 30% of D.P. p.m. (1.4.2004) income-tax free) in lieu of Official Residence | |
| 7. | Free furnishing at off Residence: | Rs. 2,50,000/- (3.11.1995) | Rs.2,00,000/- (3.11.1995) |
| 8. | Water and Electricity | Free water and electricity | |

9. Medical facilities Full reimbursement of medical expenses on prescription of Government Hospitals or Registered Medical Practitioners (3.11.1995)
10. Conveyance facility Staff Car with upto 200 liters of fuel p.m. (11.1.96)
11. Leave Travel Concession Thrice a year anywhere in India including Home town (journey by air, executive class & by private car is allowed)
12. Telephone facility No limit